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Title: METHOD FOR THE DETERMINATION OF CHARACTERISTICS AND/OR
THE CLASSIFICATION OF CIRCULATING MACROPHAGES, AND
ANALYSIS ARRANGEMENT FOR CARRYING OUT SAID METHOD

NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER
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Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 41.31, Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the rejection at least twice of claims 1-6 of the above-identified application, as set forth in the Office Action mailed May 11, 2010.

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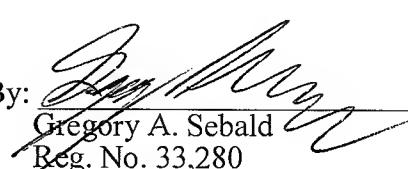
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